

The American Legion

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LEGION MAN IS LIFE SAVER

John L. Piazza, Officer 4044, New York Police Force, Well Deserves His Medal.



Saving lives is almost a specialty with officer 4044 of the New York police force, former private and top sergeant of the Three Hundred and Twelfth Infantry, A. E. F., now a member of the General Lafayette Police post, American Legion, in New York City. Patrolman Piazza, John L., wears the distinguished Service Cross.

It was in the Argentine in October, 1918, near Grand Pre, Piazza, advancing with his platoon, saw a badly wounded officer lying alone in No Man's Land, abandoned when his lines fell back to reform. On his stomach, Piazza crawled out to the spot, slung the wounded man over his shoulder and standing erect, carried him to safety with the shells whistling and exploding.

Discharged from the army, Patrolman Piazza resumed his beat in the far reaches of the borough of the Bronx. It wasn't long after that when he dashed up into a burning building, rescued an invalid woman and carried her to the street. Shortly after that he stopped a runaway horse and saved a group of women and children from injury. Officer 4044 is twenty-nine years old, married and the father of a son.

WAS 62 WHEN HE ENLISTED

Former Train Dispatcher Did Good Service for Uncle Sam—An Enthusiastic Legion Man.

Sixty-two years young he was, H. E. Lamb, Worthington, Minn., told the recruiting officers during the war. So they enlisted him and sent him to a chilly berth in faraway Siberia. He weathered nine months of it to make it a good bargain.

Mr. Lamb was living a life of retirement on a farm near Worthington when America entered the war. He had been a train dispatcher and he thought his services would be valuable. The army thought so, too, and enlisted him. It was in the nature of a celebration of his sixty-second birthday.

Returning from service, Mr. Lamb interested himself in the activities of his younger comrades. He has never missed a state or national convention of the American Legion, and with his wife, who is a member of the Women's Auxiliary, he drove 200 miles to attend the last one at Winona, Minn. There the Legion gathering made him a vice commander of the auxiliary.

Now he is planning to drive all the way to the national convention at Kansas City this fall.

WOULD GET JOBS FOR MEN

State President of Oregon Women's Auxiliary Plans to Oust Women Who Do Not Need Work.

A movement to oust from employment all married women who are not forced by necessity to work has been started by Mrs. W. A. Elvers, Portland, Ore., recently re-elected state president of the Oregon department of the Women's Auxiliary.

Mrs. Elvers speaks from first-hand information. As trained nurse and more recently as superintendent of the Emergency hospital in Portland, she has been doing a big man's work for years—but her husband has been an invalid for years.

"Women got started in men's work during the war, when it was necessary and laudable," Mrs. Elvers declared. "They are keeping it up now. Those who have husbands supporting them have no right to keep needy men out of employment. They are willing to work for less, too. They are breaking up our homes, all because they want extra pin money. It must stop, and it's going to in Oregon, at least."

Ri-r revenge. Indignant Arizonian (to busy boot-legger)—They've just been bitten by a rattler. Gimme a quart of your cheapest stuff.

Buy B—better take some of the high-priced stuff, partner.

L. A.—Not on your life. This is for the rattler.—American Legion Weekly.

How Ex-Service Men Have Scattered.

An indication of how men who served with the American forces during the World War have scattered to distant corners of the globe is given in a report from South Dakota that the soldiers' bonus board has received applications from ex-service men living in Africa, South America, China, Alaska, Japan and several European countries. The board is verifying claims of applicants through the 58 foreign posts of the American Legion.

THEY'RE GOOD "LEGION MEN"

Washington State Newspaper Men are Members of the Ex-Service Men's Organizations.

The time honored tradition of violent feeling supposed to exist between the average hard-boiled city editor and the average soft-boiled reporter suffers a relapse in the strange case of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reavis, members of Rainier-Noble post, the American Legion, and its Women's auxiliary, in Seattle, Wash.

Before the war Reavis was a city editor and Dora Deane, a Pacific coast woman-newspaper writer, was one of his cub reporters. When Reavis went to war with the 41st Division cavalry, Miss Dora became city editor. Returning after the armistice, the ex-city editor sought to regain the editorial reins by marrying Miss Deane. Finding that Mrs. Reavis was the managing editor while he became a cub, Reavis took the game and became Associated Press correspondent in Seattle.

"She was pretty good as a cub reporter," Reavis says. "But as managing editor, she is a wonder." Mrs. Reavis continues as Dora Deane of the Seattle Daily Times.

INDIAN, LEGION POST BOSS

Elias Wesley and Sixteen Washington Buddies Also Control Town of White Swan.

Where his fathers once tried to resist the civilization of the white man, Elias Wesley, fullblood Yakima Indian, commander of an American Legion post, and fifteen of his Yakima "buddies" now control the prosperous town of White Swan, Wash.

More than half of the post's members are fullblood Indians. Wesley, the commander, is the village meat cutter. The remainder of the Indians, all members of the Commercial club, are engaged in business in the town. All are graduates of a government school and are better educated than the average American. Because he was a meat cutter, when Wesley enlisted in the United States navy they made him ship's cook on the U. S. S. Western Chief. In the membership of the post there is a Medal of Honor, a Medaille Militaire, a Croix de Guerre and a Victoria cross.

"GRAND OLD MAN" OF 137TH

Kansas Editor Recently Received Distinguished Service Cross for Valor in Action.

A newspaper editor who left off lambasting the Germans in his columns and went to lambast them in person is John H. O'Connor of the Winfield (Kan.) Courier, who recently received the Distinguished Service Cross for exceptional valor in action.

The "grand old man" of the One Hundred and Thirty-seventh Infantry regiment during its service in France, Editor O'Connor ably commanded a battalion during the heaviest fighting and won the highest rank of lieutenant colonel. In September, 1918, in Montreuville Wood he received a note penciled on the back of an old envelope, telling him he was the highest officer left in the regiment. Forthwith he assumed command of his own unit, added on all other troops in the wood, organized a brigade front, beat off two Boche attacks and directed the advance on Exermont.

FARM, CURE FOR SHELLSHOCK

Thousands of Victims Have Recovered, According to Data Collected by American Legion.

The symphony of droning mowers, cultivators and threshers is a specific cure for shellshock. Of the thousands of World War veterans who turned to agriculture at the termination of hostilities, virtually all have recovered from the effects of shellshock. This is shown by a recent survey which is being studied by the national organization of the American Legion. The report likewise indicates that shellshock victims who settled in the cities have not yet regained their health.

The experiment of sending shellshock cases to the farms was tried with success in Canada, where more than 25,000 soldiers have taken farms under the soldiers' re-establishment act. The government has loaned more than \$10,000,000 to these men, and their first year's crop was valued at approximately \$14,000,000. Today the average soldier-farmer, the survey concludes, is enjoying ruddy health and sound finances.

Many Physicians Volunteer.

Four hundred and fifty physicians who are members of a post of the American Legion in New York city have volunteered their services in the reconstruction work of World War veterans.

Post to Give Musical Comedies.

To make certain that their town will be "alive" this winter, the American Legion post of Hutchinson, Minn., has contracted for three musical comedies to be staged there during the cold months.

CUBA'S SUGAR INDUSTRY



In a Cuban Sugar Mill.

(Prepared by the National Geographic Society, Washington, D. C.) Cuba, which immediately following the World War climbed to heights of prosperity seldom attained by any other small country, has passed now into the valley of hard times; and the reason in both cases was the same—sugar. For though the island's annual tobacco harvest is very valuable and though it has many other potential, if undeveloped, resources, it is hardly overemphasizing the importance of sugar production to say that Cuba is a one-crop country. When European and Eastern sugar was unobtainable prices soared skyward and Cuba not only cashed in heavily on her usual production but feverishly increased her cane acreage and sugar mills. Now that sugar from the eastern hemisphere is reaching the world markets while Europe has little buying power, sugar prices have fallen to low levels and Cuba is finding her war-increased crop a drug on the market. Financial gloom has followed upon the heels of a most hectic prosperity. "As the night, the day."

Sugar cane is grown by three classes of planters in Cuba. Perhaps the major part of the crop is grown by share farmers, or "colonos," as they are called. The owners of the sugar mills furnish them with a given number of acres of land to plant and give them an agreed share of the sugar they produce. The next class is composed of the land-owning farmers, who grow their own cane and have it ground on shares, after the fashion of the rural grain mill. The remainder of the crop is grown by the owners of the mills themselves. At some central the "administration" came, as that grown under "central" management is known, amounts to only 4 per cent of the total; at others it amounts to 90 per cent.

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Even the share farmer at pre-war prices, made money. According to "Cuba Before the World," the official handbook of the republic at the Panama-Pacific exposition, when sugar was selling at 2.62 cents a pound, his share of the sugar brought him, on the basis of twelve sacks to the acre, a return of from \$48 to \$51 per acre. When one remembers that the selling price of sugar in 1920 was from four to six times as high as before the war, the size of the per-acre income at the high tide of prices is apparent.

Boom in Sugar Lands.

A great deal of the cane land produced much more sugar to the acre than the modest twelve bags that formed the basis of the calculations cited from "Cuba Before the World." According to figures furnished by the Cuban department of agriculture, much land produces 22 bags to the acre. This, at 15 cents a pound, brings a gross return of more than \$1,000 an acre.

These conditions brought about an unprecedented boom in sugar lands. One sugar estate, which was bought about 1917 for \$3,000,000, sold in January 1920 for \$9,500,000. Another which was valued at about \$6,000,000 a few years before, changed hands at \$16,000,000.

Numerous new "centrals" were built, all capitalized on the basis of earnings during the early months of 1920. Thousands of American capitalists invested in these flourishing enterprises. How Cuba's receipts from sugar expanded is shown by the fact that the 1915 crop brought a total return of less than \$200,000,000, while two-thirds of the 1920 crop (one-third remains unsold) brought \$400,000,000.

Production Cheaper There. Cuba has the advantage of every country in producing sugar cheaply. Most countries have to plant every two years and some of them every season, but the average in Cuba is once in from 7 to 12 years. In most parts of the island the harvesting season is six months long—from December to June; but in some sections the harvest lasts from

the first of December to the first of October. The fields are so planted in the first place that each month of the grinding season produces its own crop of mature cane. Here is a group of fields where the new crop has just sprouted; over yonder another group where the cane is half grown; and on farther is a group where harvesting operations are in full swing.

How the Crop is Harvested. In harvesting, the cane-cutters first strip the blades from the stalk; then they cut off the upper part of the latter, which is worthless except for replanting, since what juice it contains possesses very little sugar. One of the strange things about sugar cane is that the sap of the growing plant has little sugar, while in the mature stalk the juice is rich in sucrose. The action of the sun's rays seems to transform glucose into sucrose—a transformation that cannot be accomplished by human means. If man knew how to do that, every cornfield would be a sugar field.

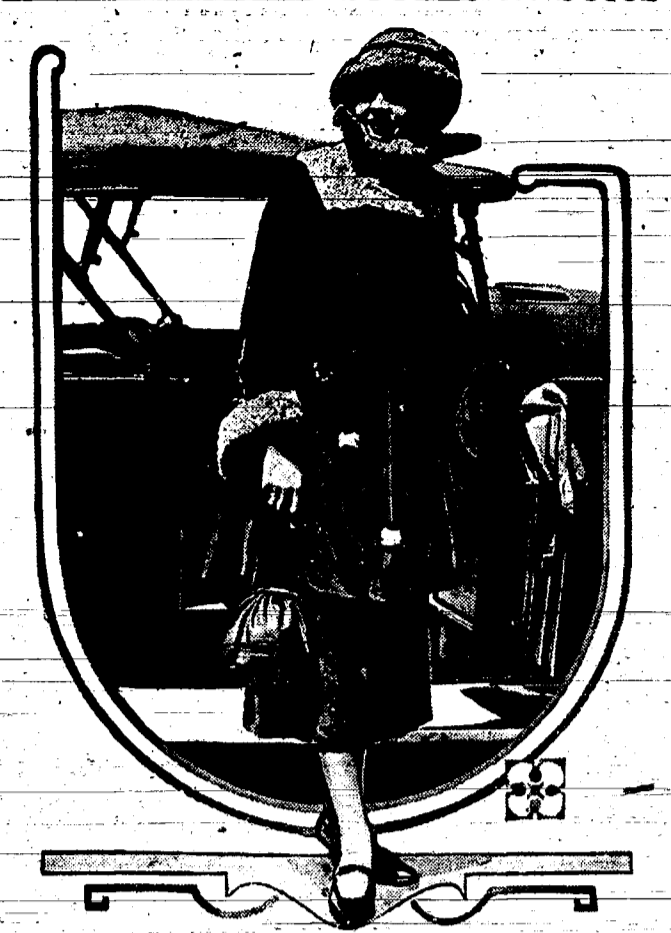
The main body of the stalk is cut down and loaded into the trucks. In these it is hauled to the field station and placed in the waiting cars. Each car contains about twenty tons and each train is made up of thirty cars. This makes 600 tons of cane to the railroad, and eight to ten trainloads a day are required to keep one of the bigger centrals in operation for 24 hours. The big United Fruit central at Preston requires the crop from 250 acres every day to keep it busy. Imagine a field three fifths of a mile square being harvested between sunrise and sundown to keep one central going!

At the mills the cars of cane are dumped on an endless belt which carries it to the crushing rolls. Each set of rolls the cane passes through presses it harder than the one before. The last set may exert a pressure of a million pounds, and when the "bagasse," as the crushed cane is called, issues from them it is almost as dry as tinder. It is carried by conveyors to the fire-boxes of the boilers, where it is used as fuel in generating the steam that drives the big mills and boils the cane juice. The stream of crushed cane flows through the last set of rolls at a speed of seven miles a day.

Making the Sugar.

After the juice is freed of sediment it is pumped in the evaporators, where about half of the water is boiled out of it. The next step in the making of sugar is to draw the thick juice into the vacuum pans. Here it comes into contact with hot steam coils and boils at a very low temperature because of the absence of atmospheric pressure. As the boiling proceeds, the sugar crystallizes into small grains.

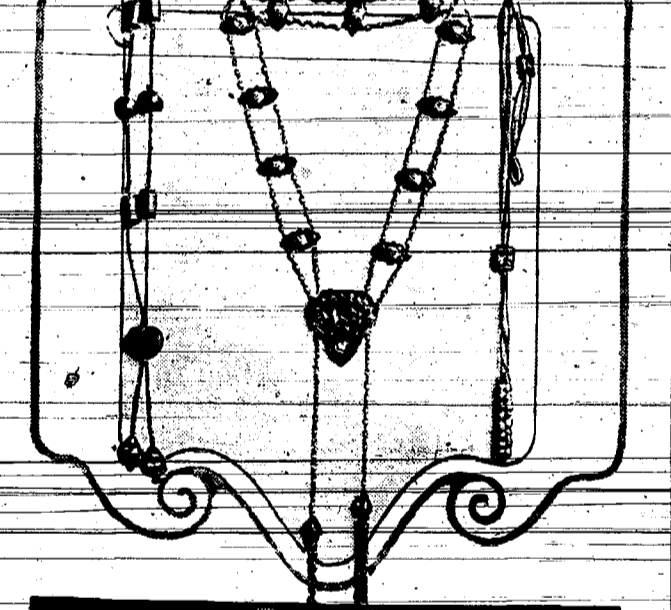
AUTUMN FORECASTS VARIED STYLES IN SUITS



THE new suits for fall and winter interest is centered in the coats which are considerably varied in style. Leaving out the box coat, which is a law unto itself in the matter of length, coats are longer than for some seasons, and therefore more dignified. The Russian blouse is welcomed by its devotees in smartly designed models that are bloused at the back and belted at the front with fullness on the hips. There are some trim, semi-tailored, severely tailored coats with a decided flare in their skirts and notched collars that are distinguished by their lack of trimming, and there are many fur-trimmed and sublimated costume suits that will prove the mainstay of any winter wardrobe that takes them on.

In coats as in gowns, sleeves will hold the center of the stage, playing the leading role opposite collars. In a great many coats sleeves are wide at the bottom and fur is ingeniously used for trimming them. Very deep cuffs of fur matching collars of a

PRETTY THINGS WOMEN MAKE FOR THEMSELVES



BEADS and pendants of colored sealing wax, strung on silk cord or small metallic chains or baby ribbon (in velvet or satin) are having a great vogue. They are easily made and the work is fascinating. Very inexpensive metallic chains and griddles can be made handsomely decorative by applying flowers made of sealing wax to them. They are fashionable with coats and frocks and replace the belts, medallions, slides and tassels, and a long pendant and slide on a strand of baby velvet ribbon, are good examples of fashionable ornaments.

To make the beads and medallions, very simple and inexpensive materials are required. They include a large-sized steel knitting needle, a steel knife, a small alcohol lamp, a little piece of cotton cloth and several sticks of colored sealing wax. A candle or gas flame may take the place of the alcohol lamp, and a glass of cold water completes the worker's outfit.

Select the color wanted and, with a heated knife, cut off two pieces of wax, each half the size of the bead to be made. Heat the steel knitting needle and fasten the pieces of wax to it, one on either side of the needle. Hold the wax above the flame, turning slowly until the bead is formed, then dip it in water to cool. Remove and dry the bead with the cloth. Choose colors to add to the bead. Heat each stick in turn and drop a little wax on the bead; revolve over the flame again. The colors will flow around the bead, blending in varying designs. Cool the bead again, dry and pass over the flame to give luster. Heat the needle on each side of the bead until it is loosened, slide back and forth on the needle and remove. While the bead is warm it may be pressed by the fingers or knife, or on a piece of glass, into different shapes.

Remove Stain.

To remove iodine or greasy stains apply alcohol. When salts of lemon fall to remove iron rust dip in oxalic acid and rinse well in borax water. To remove peach or pear stain leave over night on snow. Dip in oxalic acid and rinse well in borax or ammonia water.

For Cakes.

Be sure that the lard, butter or other shortening is thoroughly mixed with the flour in making a cake. The result will be a richer, more flaky grained cake.

MOTHER, QUICK! GIVE

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Even a sick child loves the "fruity" taste of "California Fig Syrup." If the little tongue is coated, or if your child is listless, cross, feverish, full of cold, or has colic, a teaspoonful will never fail to open the bowels. In a few hours you can see for yourself how thoroughly it works all the constipation poison, sour bile and waste from the tender, little bowels and gives you a well, playful child again.

Millions of mothers keep "California Fig Syrup" handy. They know a teaspoonful today saves a sick child tomorrow. Ask your druggist for genuine "California Fig Syrup" which has directions for babies and children of all ages printed on bottle. Mother! You must say "California," or you may get an imitation fig syrup.—Advertisement.

Fraudulent Alchemists.

Discussing the work of Roger Bacon, regarded as the greatest philosopher of the Thirteenth century, Prof. William Romanus Newbold of the University of Pennsylvania, who has succeeded in finding a key to this wonderful book, speaks of numerous references to alchemy. In Bacon's time alchemy was considered a science and we have records of many workers, some of them honest in their beliefs, but many of them were simply impostors using the desire for gold to obtain large sums of money from their credulous victims, the New York Sun explains.

DYED HER SKIRT, DRESS, SWEATER AND DRAPERIES

Each package of "Diamond Dyes" contains directions so simple any woman can dye or tint her worn, shabby dresses, skirts, waists, coats, stockings, sweaters, coverings, draperies, everything, even if she has never dyed before. Buy "Diamond Dyes" the other kind—then perfect home dyeing is sure because Diamond Dyes are guaranteed not to spot, fade, streak, or run. Tell your druggist whether the material you wish to dye is wool or silk, or whether it is linen, cotton or mixed goods.—Advertisement.

New Type of X-Ray Apparatus.

The West London hospital announces the possession of a new fluorescent-ray apparatus, the design of a Harvard x-rayologist, and the only one in England which makes use of rays of a wave length not hitherto employed. The current is of a voltage greater than 200,000. It is expected that with this new apparatus double the number of cures of cancer possible in the past will be obtained. The tube gives the highest penetration yet achieved.

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LOCAL NEWS

Geo. Burke and Chas. Fehr returned Saturday from an auto trip to Detroit and Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Frank Coker, who fell down stairs in her home a couple of weeks ago breaking her arm, is getting along nicely.

Mrs. Rose Forbes, who had been visiting old friends in Grayling, returned Monday to her home in Knightstown, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Miller and children of Pontiac are visiting Mrs. Miller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. DeValch of Frederic.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Berghs are now nicely settled in their home on Maple street, which they purchased from William Fischer.

Mrs. Robert T. Roblin left Monday for her home in Jackson after a few days visit on her return from Manistee, with her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Roblin.

GIFTS THAT LAST

Are you fair to your watch?

An automobile needs frequent attention. What about your watch—a mechanism infinitely more delicate?

CARBON in the motor of a car will decrease the running efficiency of that car. And yet the carbon will accumulate. The car owner, knowing this, has his car frequently overhauled—and the carbon removed.

And yet this same man, perhaps, will allow his watch, a mechanism infinitely more delicate, to run for years without attention. All the while it is accumulating dust for tiny dirt particles will get in through the most tightly fitting case and this will in time impair the time-keeping performance of the watch.

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Miss Edythe Schreves of Lovell spent the week-end in Grayling.

James Jorgenson returned Monday night from a few days visit in Detroit.

The October session of the County board of supervisors will convene Monday, October 17.

There will be a regular meeting of Grayling Chapter O. E. S. No. 83 on Wednesday evening, Oct. 12th.

Get your winter's supply of potatoes at Salling Hansen company's grocery store at only \$1.10 per bu.

The Goodfellowship club held a business meeting at the home of their president, Mrs. R. H. Gillett Monday.

Ladies, now is the time to begin to make your Christmas presents, fine line of stamped goods at the Gift Shop.

Jess Schoonover left Saturday for Royal Oak, called there by the serious illness of his brother-in-law, Wm. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hartwick who have been spending the summer at Lake Margrethe returned to Detroit Monday.

R. E. Tobias of Pollock Pettibone millinery of Detroit will have an opening at Cooley & Redson's Thursday Oct. 13.

An advertisement appears on the last page of this issue of an auction sale by Benjamin F. Sherman at his farm near Frederic.

Albert Borchers left Thursday for Traverse City to be employed at the Traverse City garage. His wife will join him in a couple of weeks.

Mrs. E. W. Behlke and daughter Helen returned Tuesday from an auto trip in the north. They visited friends in Newberry and Escanaba.

Mrs. Charles T. Trombley, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Delevan Smith for a number of weeks, expects to return to her home in Saginaw Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Gates of Clare spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Wingard, taking home their little son who had been visiting his grandparents.

Attorney Homer L. Fitch went to Bay City Monday and brought back his wife who was recovering from an operation recently undergone in that city. The latter stood the trip very well but became very tired by the time they reached Grayling.

Mrs. Matilda Sparks, who has been spending a number of weeks in Galesburg, Ill., with relatives and old friends, and also with her daughter, Miss Elsie, who is training for nurse in a hospital in Chicago, returned home Thursday of last week.

Charles Schreck returned from Flint Friday, driving through a new Buick for Buick Agent, Marius Hanson. Mrs. Schreck, who had been visiting in Flint accompanied him as far as Bay City remaining there for the day with her daughter, Mrs. William Russell and family.

Miss Virginia Patterson employed by A. H. VanDoran, the Furniture dealer of Grayling, came down last Saturday to assist Mr. Hilton with his opening sale. She was accompanied by her friend Miss Mona Clink. Mr. VanDoran and family motored down Sunday afternoon and took the ladies home.

We have reason to believe that J. P. Jensen has the champion pumpkin of the season. It weighs 76½ pounds, is 19 inches long, and measures 63 inches in circumference around the ends and 51 inches around the sides. It is on exhibition in the window of the Conner grocery store.

Miss Cora King of Houghton lake has entered the Grayling schools arriving Monday.

There will be a business meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association at the school house Tuesday evening Oct. 11, at 7:30 sharp. This should be one of the most worth while organizations of the town. The vital connection between the home and school life of a child is so evident that it should interest every parent and teacher. Show your interest by being present with suggestions for the year's work.

Joe Churchill, chimney sweep of West Branch, who has visited Grayling every fall for years and at a hospital in Detroit, returned last Monday after a fatal accident that befell him Monday of last week. He was trimming trees and while attempting to cut a limb, the one on which he was sitting broke and he fell to the ground a distance of 35 feet. In falling he struck a projecting limb on the way down injuring his back.

The Grayling band played at the Tawas City agricultural fair last week Friday and Saturday. This is the first time our band has invaded the eastern part of the State and it was a genuine surprise to the people to know that Grayling had such a fine band. Their music won liberal applause and fine compliments everywhere. The management assured Manager H. Simpson that they would want the Grayling band again next year. Our boys speak in the highest terms of their treatment at Tawas City, and also of the fair exhibits and attractions. The grounds were packed both days with people and the spirit of the crowds was fine, and everybody seemed to be having a most satisfactory time. Besides the agricultural and business exhibits there were some ball games, horse races and a Mid-Way where for a little money some good attraction and entertainments could be enjoyed.

Isaac Jendron was arrested Saturday night for being intoxicated and also for assault and battery against an officer. He was arraigned Monday afternoon and pleaded guilty to the charge of being drunk and was sentenced by Justice Fred Alexander to pay a fine and costs of prosecution, amounting to \$13.75, or go to jail 30 days. He paid his fine. A warrant charging him with assault and battery against Marshall M. Brenner also was served upon him. He waived examination and was bound over to circuit court for trial. Jendron claims he purchased the liquor at the dance at Frederic. Marshall Brenner was assisted in making the arrest by Constable Alvin LaChapelle. Mike was pretty angry at being punched in the nose and these two officers swear that they are going right after the gang and intend to round-up every drunk and bootlegger they can get their hands on.

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Boys' School Suits

All wool materials, lined throughout, some with 2 trousers. Great values.

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Just the thing for these early fall days. Get or Slip-over styles.

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Specials in our Dry Goods Department.

36-inch heavy Outings, fancy and light colors, 20c.	Underwear for winter for men, women and children. Two piece or union suits, fleeced or wool, at prices nearly 1/2 less than last year.
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Stevens All Linen Crash Toweling at 19c, 25c, 26c and 30c.	
Crash Toweling 12c.	
Blankets \$2.50, \$3.00 and up.	
Comfortables \$3.50 to \$6.50.	

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Harrison Cameron is ill at his home.

Donald Reynolds is confined to his home with a siege of rheumatism.

Arlo Jorgenson returned last Saturday from a several weeks tour thru the West, visiting Montana and other states.

The Ladies Home Missionary society will meet Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Arthur Poole.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Hawthorne are in Bay City owing to the serious illness of Mr. Hawthorne's mother, who recently suffered a stroke of paralysis.

Agness Havens who is attending a business college in Bay City spent the week-end visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Havens and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wright Havens of Washington who are visiting here.

Tanlac, the remarkable remedy that everybody is talking about, is sold by A. M. Lewis, Druggist.

The New Russell hotel will be opened Saturday under management of J. A. Balfour of Portland, Oregon. For the past two weeks the place has been undergoing a cleaning and decorating, and the rooms now are clean and comfortable. A modern cafe will be opened, serving short orders and lunches. Mr. Balfour says, "When in the city, make this your home, and also come here for your meals and lunches."

Honoring Miss Frances Trudeau, a bride of this week Miss Pauline Fehr entertained sixteen young ladies Friday evening at a blue shower. To carry out the blue color effect which was most attractive, twigs of maple adorned the walls of the home through out and numerous bluebirds rested on the boughs. Also the chandeliers had ribbons hanging from them at the ends of which were clusters of bluebirds. The table on which the delicious lunch was served was centered with tiny dolls in wedding dresses. Many novel contests were enjoyed and the bride was showered with confetti. The gifts brought by the guests were of blue hue.

Mrs. H. A. Bauman and Miss Margarette Bauman are spending a number of weeks in Detroit.

W. F. Brink of Bay City is in the city looking after his interests here and calling on his many old friends.

No errors of opinion can work in justice or become dangerous so long as they are ventilated in the columns of the newspaper.

Mrs. Albert Kraus left Saturday to spend a few weeks at the home of her daughter Mrs. M. B. Weinberg of Saginaw. Mr. Weinberg expects to go to Cleveland while Mrs. Kraus is there, to consult an ear specialist.

Tanlac is a splendid tonic and system purifier, now selling at the rate of almost ten million bottles a year.

A. M. Lewis, Druggist.

A Good Physic.

When you want a physic that is mild and gentle in effect, easy to take and certain to act, take Chamberlain's Tablets. They are excellent.

3 Big Bargains

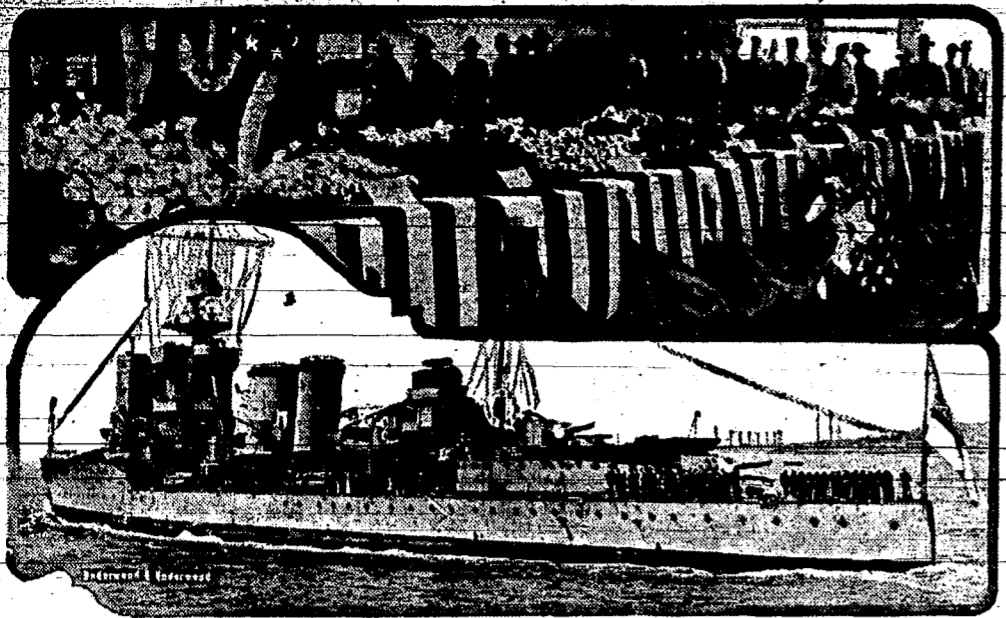
We are this week offering big values in new modern furniture. If you need a dresser be sure to take advantage of these prices:

Genuine Oak Dresser Has large roomy drawers 22x26, beveled mirror. A rare value at \$29.75	A Fine Little Dresser Fitted with 14x20 beveled mirror, golden oak finish. A snap for some one \$13.90	Golden Oak Princess Dresser Fitted with a long, nice mirror. Is probably the biggest bargain of all \$22.75
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Sorenson Bros.

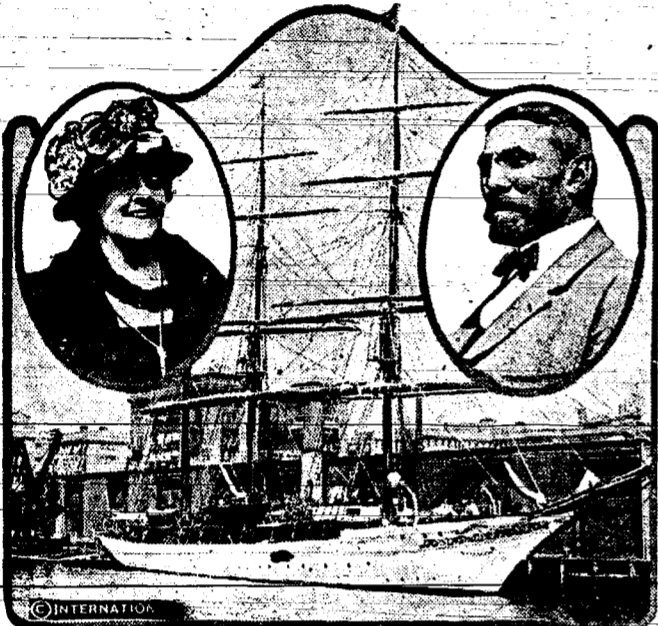
The Home of Dependable Furniture

American Victims of the ZR-2 Brought Home



British cruiser Dauntless arriving at Brooklyn navy yard with the bodies of the 15 American victims of the ZR-2 disaster, and the flower-covered caskets in the specially constructed buildings where the funeral services were held.

Yacht Aloha Starts Around the World



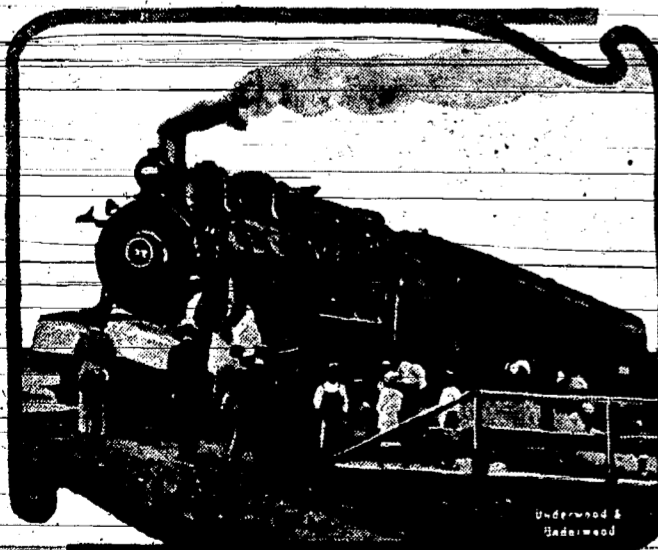
The bark-rigged steam yacht Aloha, owned by Arthur Curtis James of New York, has just started on a trip around the world that will take nine months. Besides Mr. and Mrs. James, shown in insets, there are on board four guests and a crew of forty-eight.

Relativity Tower at Potsdam



A view of the tower of Telegraph-hill, Potsdam, Germany, which is to serve Prof. Albert Einstein as an observatory and laboratory for further experiments in the realm of relativity. Dr. Einstein is the designer of the unique structure, which also is to be used as an experimental station by the astro-physical institution of Potsdam.

"Peace" Train Comes From Mexico



Here is the first Mexican passenger train to cross the border at El Paso, Tex., since June 4, 1913. The engine was decorated with the Mexican and American flags.

ALL AROUND THE WORLD

The mouth of the River Nile is 155 miles wide from the extreme points on the Mediterranean coast.

The gulls, swallows and other birds that belong to the state of Florida are estimated to be worth about \$100,000,000.

In other times it was popularly believed that the ruby was a very powerful gem to ward off plagues and diseases.

As chief clerk to the mayor of Boston, Miss Nora O'Callaghan receives a salary of \$2,700 a year.

In 1865 the American merchant marine had a gross tonnage of 5,180,867 tons, against 4,349,824 tons under the British flag.

No bird is more prolific than the partridge, the hen laying from fourteen to eighteen eggs and usually hatching them all.

ASK HIM SOMETHING



"Ask Dave, he knows," is what Will Hays, the popular postmaster general, is saying to people these days, for after a personal investigation pictured above he came to the conclusion that David Gray, whose three smiles at you through the window, knows everything there is to know. So Will fixed up this job for David and visitors to Washington find it mighty convenient. "Ask me something hard," says Garvey.

HUGHES A GOLFER, TOO



Secretary of State Hughes, like President Harding, is fond of golf, but he is not so often photographed on the links. Indeed, this is the first photograph made of the secretary in his golf outfit.

How Soap Is Made From Clay

Clay in the "colloidal form," when suitably prepared, may be satisfactorily substituted for a large proportion (up to about 50 per cent) of the fatty acids in soap. Matter may roughly be said to be in the "colloidal form" when it is in an extremely fine state of subdivision. As clay is cheap and soap relatively dear, the substitution of clay in this form for fatty acids produces a notable reduction in cost. The clay is a real substitute for soap, and not an adulterant. Hot solutions of colloidal clay soap form gels on cooling and thus this soap not only resembles ordinary soap in appearance, but in cleaning properties. It is said to be even better than pure soap. Developments of this interesting discovery will be awaited with interest.—London Discovery.

Have Private Fish Ponds

When the natives of Nauru, in the Pacific, go fishing, they bring the fish home alive and put them in lagoons or small lakes in the hills. Every village owns a lagoon and every villager owns a portion of the water, fenced off with palm leaves, where the household supply of fish is kept alive until needed for food.

Satisfied With Lot

Of course, the goat has his weaknesses, but he never tries to pose as a genius.—Dallas News.

CONDENSED CLASSICS

HOMER'S ILLAD

Condensation by Prof. William Fenwick Harris

It is the charm of the stories of the Iliad and the Odyssey that has made them the most popular of all ancient literature. The Iliad is the story of the great Trojan war, the adventure of deeds of perfect chivalry and wild fighting, of brave men and noble women, so the Odyssey is the story of the adventures of the hero Odysseus, of his wanderings, of his struggles, of his triumphs, of his return home.

The Greeks started the modern world going. As with Icarus they thought of the flying machine, with Agamemnon of wireless telegraphy in the messenger he sent across the sea from Troy to Argos in the fastest ship of the day.

The Iliad, and with Odysseus of the motion picture in the vision of all men and women who sit before the screen, is the story of the Trojan war, of the adventures of the hero Odysseus, of his wanderings, of his struggles, of his triumphs, of his return home.

Whether one poet wrote the Iliad and the Odyssey has been a question that has puzzled many thousands of minds. The perfect form in which they have come down to us, however, clearly shows that many centuries contributed to the perfecting of the literary style in which they are written. The discussions over the "Homeric problem" have laid the basis for literary and historical criticism in modern scholarship.

THE elders of the Trojans from their seats upon the Scaean gate looked down upon the hosts of Greeks and Trojans marshaled in the plain. For nine long years the armies had contended. Why had Agamemnon brought the men of many cities to fight around the walls of Priam's Troy? What was it all about?

Homer sings of the wrath of Achilles, but the beginning of all the trouble goes back of that, to the tale of a princely shepherd on a night surprised as he watched his flocks upon Mount Ida. The goddesses Hera, Athena and Aphrodite, make him choose one of the world-old wishes; the judgment of Paris is for a fair face and love. To fulfill his promise Aphrodite leads him to King Menelaus' court in Sparta. Helen and Paris bring Greece to Troy. Back to Troy Paris brings Queen Helen and great treasure. A hue and cry follow throughout Greece; Menelaus calls to his help the great overlord, his brother Agamemnon. Achilles the sacker of cities, with Odysseus, venerable and genial Nestor, and all the chivalry of the land with men and ships to make war on Troy.

Others must pay for the wrongdoing of Paris—old King Priam of the Ashen Spear, his venerable queen, Hecuba, Hector and his noble wife Andromache, his little son Astyanax, Cassandra and all the rest whom the toll of war involves. Other stories of the many Greek epics, now lost, bring the tale of warring years up to the tenth, where the Iliad begins. Hector is the leader of the Trojans; Achilles has been the great fighting force of the Greeks, though now he has withdrawn in anger to his tent because of a slight put upon his honor by King Agamemnon.

The hostile forces are advancing to the battle; a dramatic moment brings Menelaus and Paris in sight of one another. The wrath of Hector blazes out against Paris for all the evil and shame his theft of women and wealth have brought. The gay and debonair Paris, however, can show splendid moments. "Hector, thy taunt is just. But throw not at me the lovely gifts of golden Aphrodite. The glorious gifts that the gods give are not to be flung away; no man could take them by mere willingness. But if thou dost wish me to battle and fight, make all the rest of the Trojans and Achaeans sit down, and put me in the midst with warlike Menelaus to fight for Helen and all her goods, to see who shall conquer and prove the better man; at the first, conclude a friendship of trusty oaths; may ye dwell in fertile Trojland, and the others go back to Argos, house of steeds, and Achaea of fair women."

So it was that the hosts sat in high expectation in the plain, and Priam and the Trojan elders were gathered on the Scaean gate. And Priam, who bore no grudge against Helen for all the misery her fair face had brought to him and Troy—for he saw the hands of the gods in it all—called her to his side to tell him of the chiefs among whom she had once lived. Then those elders, who had long since seen their fighting days, paid the finest compliment a woman's beauty has ever received—how many thousands years ago—as they saw Helen advancing. "No cause for anger that Trojans and well-greaved Achaeans for such a woman long time should suffer sorrow." Not another word! But those old men upon the wall have drawn for you and me a picture of The World's Desire. "But even so," they continued, "let her go home upon the ships and stay not as a source of sorrow to us and to our children after us."

The high hopes of settling all the

troubled by the dust of the champagne were in vain. The contest was inconclusive and the truth was broken.

The scene changes to Troy itself. In an interval of the battle great Hector of the Glancing Helm had gone to his tent. And there he said farewell to Andromache, his wife, and to his little boy, a picture that has never been surpassed for true tenderness—although it was so many hundred years ago. He smiled and looked upon the little boy in silence. "Ah, Hector," she cried, "stay here upon the wall! Thou art to me father and mother and brother, too, as well as lord. The foe will attack thee alone!" "I know the day shall come," he answered, "when holy Illos shall perish, and Priam and the folk of Priam of the goodly Ashen Spear. But thought of him, of my mother, of my brothers, does not trouble me so much as that some warrior of the Achaeans shall rob thee of the day of freedom." He stretched out his hand to the little boy, who shrunk back to his nurse's breast in fear of the bronze and the horse-hair crest that nodded dreadfully from the top of the helm. Straightway Hector took off the helm and placed it on the ground. And when he had kissed his son and tossed him in his arms, he spoke in prayer to Zeus and the rest of the gods:

"Grant, ye gods, that this son of mine prove foremost among the Trojans, a good and mighty king. And as he comes back from battle may man a man say of him, 'A far better man than his father,' and may his mother rejoice in heart." And then he handed him back to his mother, who received him smiling through her tears, and so departed to the battle with words of high cheer.

There follow many scenes of varied action—the Iliad is one of the great collections of short stories in the world's literature, in which is given a perfect picture of the life of that lordly society of so long ago. The plain people play little part, although their champion, Therastis, is the first democrat mentioned in literature. Mighty deeds of derring-do, high adventure, love of lords and ladies, the pranks of merry children—all are preserved, as it were, in amber, and the sentiment for the most part is so modern that it is almost impossible to believe that we are reading of people who lived many hundreds of years before Christ was born.

But over all impends one dreadful fate. It is a Greek tale—yet Hector, prince and leader of the foe, is the hero of the story. Of course he is not quite so strong, nor quite so great a fighter as Achilles, the Greek champion, and all know that in the end Achilles will win. The great scenes are worked up to with consummate artistry. Achilles is still sulking in his tent; Hector is pressing the Greeks hard; Patroclus, Achilles' dearest friend, begs his chief to let him don his armor and save his people; he has his way and Hector slays him. Achilles' anger blazes forth in all its passion. What now a petty slight? The great scene of the battle between the two inspires the poet to all his noblest power. They fight; Achilles pursues Hector thrice around the walls of Troy; Zeus weighs in golden scales the fates of the two; Hector is doomed to die; inexorable destiny may not be stayed. Achilles slays Hector, and every heart but that of the victor is wrung with the pity of it all. And in the end, even Achilles' heart is moved. For old King Priam can neither sleep nor eat while his son's body lies dead in the camp of the foe. Against the will of all that was dearest to him he gathered great store of ransom and made his way by night under the kindly guidance of the gods to Achilles' tent and sought for the body of his dear son. It is a scene of love and pity, of chivalry and greatness of heart that all the years since then have never been surpassed. "Be not angry with me, Patroclus," prayed Achilles, "if thou shalt learn in Hades' house that I have given back noble Hector to his dear father." And Patroclus, one may be sure, shared the pity of all brave men and all true women ever since.

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Monarch Endured Long

The most curious contract ever entered into by an operative star was surely that of Farinelli, who, about the year 1734, was deriving an income of \$5,000 per annum. The singer afterwards visited Spain, where the king, Philip V, was suffering from mental depression, from which nothing aroused him until the advent of Farinelli. The queen was so delighted to see her royal spouse once more interested in anything, that she engaged Farinelli at a salary of \$2,000 to remain in Madrid. This he did, singing the same four songs to the king every night for ten years. Eventually Philip succumbed, but he must have been a patient monarch.

Greatest Inspiration

Nothing can be so inspiring to a human being as the idea that he is of value, that his help is really wanted. Nothing can so enforce the doctrine of responsibility as the realization that it rests with us to choose whether we shall mend or mar, shall beautify or deface, some portion of the work.—Oliver Lodge.

The Stomach of an Ostrich

An ostrich dissected in London had in its stomach a small prayer book.—Omaha Bee.

Historic Bells

The largest bell ever cast was done in Russia in 1653, and to the intense disappointment of its makers it was cracked in the casting. The bell weighed 196 tons. The earliest record of bells is to be found in Exodus, where they were used as trimming for Aaron's robe at the hem, "a golden bell and a pomegranate." The pomegranates were in brilliant colors and the bells tinkled to announce to the people when he came and went from the altar.

Mixture of Civilizations

Key West, Fla., is a quaint mixture of American and Latin-American civilization, with about equal parts of each. Harry A. Franck writes in the Century Magazine. The Spanish tongue is heard there fully as often as English, and, as in the towns along the Mexican border, the official tongue is bilingual, and Americans from the North are frankly considered foreigners by the Cubanized rank and file.

Your New Home

should be made artistic, sanitary and livable.

These walls should be Alabastined in the latest, up-to-the-minute nature color tints. Each room should reflect your own individuality and the treatment throughout be a complete perfect harmony in colors.

The walls of the old home, whether mansion or cottage, can be made just as attractive, just as sanitary, through the intelligent use of

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It is absolutely necessary if you expect Alabastine results that you ask for and secure Alabastine.

Avoid kalsomines under various names and insist on the package with the cross and circle printed in red. That is the only way to be sure you are getting the genuine Alabastine.

Alabastine is easy to mix and apply, lasting in its results, and absolutely sanitary.

Alabastine is a dry powder, put up in five-pound packages, white and beautiful tints, ready to mix and use by the addition of cold water, and with full directions on each package. Every package of genuine Alabastine has cross and circle printed in red.

Better write us for hand-made color designs and special suggestions. Give us your decorative problems and let us help you work them out.

Alabastine Company

1635 Grandville Ave. Grand Rapids, Mich.

Objection to Classic Dancing

Jud Funkins says he doesn't like amateur classic dancing because it reminds him of the way summer boarders act of an evening when the mosquitoes are bad.

Timely Advice

"I want to leave footprints on the sands of time."

"Well, keep out of the mud."

Radium and Beauty

The marvelous discovery of the wonderful effects of Radium when applied to the skin, has astonished the world. RADIOR FACE CREAMS contain enough Radium to impart that soft bloom and velvety texture, which make a perfect complexion. RADIOR FACE CREAMS cost 75c and \$1.50 per jar. On sale at leading drug stores, or write us direct—Radior Company of London, 1470 Broadway, New York.—Advertisement.

Her Reason

Allice—"How do you know you love George?" Virginia—"Because Gladys wants him."—Town Topics.

Important to Mothers

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA. That famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Williams*. In Use for Over 30 Years. Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria.

HIS POINT QUITE REASONABLE

A Good Logic in Negro's Contentment as to Lion's Probable Change to a Meat Diet.

A negro employed at one of the Hollywood movie studios was drafted by a director to do a novel comedy scene with a lion.

"You get into this bed," ordered the director, "and we'll bring the lion in and put him in bed with you. It will be a scream."

"Put a lion in bed with me!" yelled the dandy. "No, sah! Not a fall, I quits right here and now."

"But," protested the director, "this lion won't hurt you. This lion was brought up on milk."

"So you're bringing up on milk," yelled the dandy, "but I eats meat now."—Los Angeles Times.

Proceeding With Caution

"What are your views concerning the tariff?"

"You ought to speak first," replied Senator Borah.

"Why?"

"Because you are an influential voter. As a patriotic yet practical statesman it should be my duty, as well as my privilege in this interview, to reconcile my opinions to yours as far as I can conscientiously do so."

Whose fault is it when your husband is cross at breakfast?

If you hit your thumb with a hammer you wouldn't blame your thumb for hurting.

Then why blame your husband whose nerves may have been pounded by coffee, and whose rest probably has been broken by the irritation of the caffeine it contains?

If you stay awake half the night you don't feel any too cheerful.

The caffeine of coffee and the thein of tea are known drugs. If their use is persisted in, sooner or later the nervous system may give way.

Then you may have insomnia or disturbed sleep. Your nerves and tissues will be robbed of that stability essential for normal and happy living.

You can avoid this possibility if you'll stop drinking tea and coffee and drink instead, rich, pleasing Postum.

Postum is the delicious cereal beverage with a coffee-like flavor. It affords the advantages of a hot drink, without the ill effects of tea or coffee.

Order Postum from your grocer today. Try it with the family for a few days, and see what a difference there'll be—how it will permit Nature to bring sound sleep and strong, sturdy, quiet nerves. Sold by grocers.

Postum comes in two forms: Instant Postum (in tin) made instantly in the cup by the addition of boiling water. Formed Cereal (in package) for those who prefer to make the drink with the meal in being prepared made by boiling for 20 minutes.

Postum for Health There's a Reason

A PROFIT OF 20%

Plus 7% Interest

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That's exactly what can be made in a few months time by purchasing stock in the Wildman Rubber Company NOW.

Stock now selling for \$250 per unit (two shares of preferred and one share of common.)

As soon as our plant is in operation the price per unit will be increased to \$300. Save \$50 per unit by investing now.

The plant of the Wildman Rubber Company now under construction in Bay City will be the most modern factory in the United States making tires and tubes. It is a Michigan enterprise. Get back of it.

The management of the company is in the hands of men who have always been successful. They know how to make the best product at the lowest cost and furthermore, can dispose of the output of the factory at a minimum selling expense.

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HOW TO KEEP UP NEW GRAVEL HIGHWAYS

Cons. Advis. From State Highway Department.

Lansing, Michigan, September 26, 1921.

To Township Highway Comm'rs:

Even though the state is spending vast sums of bond money in road construction, it is still true that the greatest road tax in Michigan is the tax which the people in the rural sections vote upon themselves at the annual town meetings. Last year this tax amounted to \$18,495,280.04. As much of this money is expended in hauling gravel to roads, a word or two as to the application of gravel and the maintenance of gravel roads afterwards, may not be amiss.

The commonly accepted class job is spoiled by neglecting the gravel after it is dumped, (too often not spread) upon the road. In fact it is left to pack itself and immediately becomes full of bumps and hollows which become so hard that they can hardly be smoothed except by using a scarifier. This could easily and cheaply be prevented by spreading the gravel with the use of the four-wheeled grader followed by a spike tooth harrow and the road drag. In fact the gravel which is placed on each day should be spread in this way and made as smooth as possible before quitting work at night.

Later the constant use of the road drag would make many of those township gravel roads which have been cheaply built, as pleasant to drive over as many of the more costly state highways.

Probably no implements used in road building or maintenance has done so much to keep the roads constantly smooth as the petrol road drag and grader.

When To Drag. As soon as the frost begins to come out of the ground in the spring use the road drag. Use it frequently especially after rains until the ground freezes in the Fall. When the road softens during the winter months smooth it up with the road drag so the surface will freeze smooth.

How To Drag. Hitch to the drag in such a way that it will be drawn at an angle, forcing some gravel towards the center of the road. If the drag cuts too deep, shorten the hitch; if too little, lengthen it. Drag one side of the road, then the other, lastly making a trip down the center. If the road is not smooth, ride the drag, stepping around on it sufficiently to vary the cutting depth to work out high places in the gravel and fill low ones.

Strive toward a uniform crown in all gravel roads. When you drive over the road you will readily detect if it is too crowning. If too flat it will hold water.

Large stones embedded in the surface should be taken out as it is impossible to handle a road drag properly when it is bobbing over stones.

One year's faithful use of the road drag will convince the tax payers of any township that the money had been well expended. Wont You Try It?

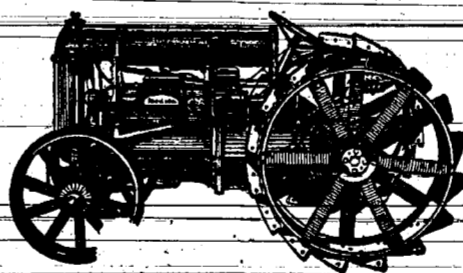
Very truly yours,
Frank F. Rogers,
State Highway Commissioner.

Statement of the Ownership, Management, Etc., Required by the Act of August 24, 1912,
of The Crawford Avalanche, published weekly at Grayling, Mich., for October, 1921.

Editor, Managing Editor, Business Manager, Publisher, Owners: O. P. Schumann, Grayling, Michigan.
Known bondholders, mortgagees, and other security holders, holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities: O. Palmer, Grayling, Michigan.

O. P. Schumann, Sworn to and subscribed before me this 1st day of October, 1921.
(Seal) O. Palmer, Notary Public
My commission expires Mar. 5, 1923.)

Fordson Tractor Economy



Following is a copy of a letter received from a Fordson owner who purchased a tractor at Scottville, Michigan:

KOBE & SMITH,

Dear Sirs:—I am mailing you cost figures for operating the Fordson tractor, plowing 80 acres for the year 1920; also showing the difference plowing 50 acres with horses for the year 1919.

Tractor work 80 acres: 15 days, 9 hrs.
Cost of fuel: 190 gal. kerosene at 20 5/10.....\$40.40
60 gal. kerosene at 21 4/10..... 12.88
Drained oil twice: 8 gal. motor oil at 1.00.... 8.00
10 gal. motor oil at .88.... 8.82
For starting: 4 gal. gasoline at 28 3/10..... 1.15
Cup grease..... .25

Total.....\$69.50

A fourteen year old boy ran the tractor.

Working with horses for year 1919
50 acres, 15 days, 5 horses, 2 men.
Five horses and two men at \$13.00 per day.....\$195.00

Yours truly,

A. J. SASS,

Scottville, Mich., R. D. No. 3

FORD SALES AND SERVICE

GEORGE BURKE, Grayling, Mich.

AUCTION SALE

Having sold my farm located on the stone road 5 miles east of Frederic, I will sell the following on

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 12, 1921

Commencing at 1 o'clock

- | | |
|------------------------------|------------------------------|
| 1 Cow 10 years old. | 1 Saddle. |
| 1 Cow 6 years old. | 1 Refrigerator. |
| 1 Cow 5 years old. | 2 Double Harness. 1 Buggy. |
| 1 Horse 4 years old. | 1 Double Wagon. |
| 1 Saddle Horse 11 years old. | 1 Corn Sheller. |
| 1 Heifer 30 months old. | 1 Spike Tooth Drag. |
| 1 Heifer 18 months old. | 1 Spike Tooth Cultivator. |
| 1 Steer 22 months old. | 1 Parker Plow. |
| 2 Calves. | 1 McCormick Binder. |
| 1 pair Sleighs. | Milk Bottles, Cream Cans and |
| 1 pair Light Sleighs. | other articles. |

TERMS OF SALE: Sums of \$5.00 and under, cash; sums over \$5.00, six months time on bankable note bearing 7 per cent interest; 5 per cent discount for cash on sums over \$5.00 if paid on day of sale.

B. F. SHERMAN, Prop.

S. G. NICHOLL, Auctioneer

NOTICE

State of Michigan,

The Circuit Court for the County of Crawford, In Chancery.

Minnie Martin, Plaintiff,

vs.

Charles E. Martin, Defendant.

In this cause, it appearing by affidavit in each week, for six successive weeks, that defendant does not reside in this state, but that he is a resident of the state of Indiana, therefore on motion of Harris & Chapin, attorneys for plaintiff, it is ordered that said defendant enter his appearance in said cause within three months from the date of this order, and that within twenty days the plaintiff cause this order to be published in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper published in said county, said publication to be continued three weeks, or that said plaintiff cause a copy of this order to be personally served on said defendant at least twenty days before the time above prescribed for his appearance. Dated, September 20th, 1921.

Gay E. Smith, Circuit Judge.

Harris & Chapin, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

Business address: West Branch, Michigan.

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1 o'clock p. m. to 5 o'clock p. m.

Any information and first Proceeding in connection with this Court will be had at my office at Sorenson Bros.

GEORGE SORENSON, Judge of Probate.

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Dr. J. J. Love

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